Appomattox County Library

By Verna Conner

The Advisory Board of the Appomattox County Library met on Tuesday, October 7. Richard Simpson was appointed to the place formerly held by Mrs. Peoples.

The main purpose of the meeting was to work out plans with Dr. C. G. O'Brien for the presentation to the library of his collection of Indian artifacts and other memorabilia. More about this at a future date.

Last week someone asked for a recommendation as to the best books on the Kennedy family. They had recently read the biography of Mrs. Rose Fitzerald Kennedy, entitled, **Times to Remember** and pronounced it excellent.

On the second floor of the library you will find the following books: **John F. Kennedy and P.T. 109,** which is the story of his narrow escape while serving as commander of a PT Boat during World War II. A Japanese destroyer cut the boat in half - - one part sinking and the other staying afloat with Kennedy holding on to the pieces. Four men held on with him and they managed to get six others to the half boat. Two men died. One was so badly hurt that Kennedy put his life jacket strap betweeen his teeth and swam with him to an island about three miles away. This aggravated an old football injury to his back and after that he was seldom without pain.

"Meet John F. Kennedy" by Nancy Bean White; **John Fitzgerald Kennedy** by Patricia Martin; **Boy's Life of John F. Kennedy** by Bruce Lee; **The John F. Kennedys** - a family album by Mark Shaw; **That Special Grace** by Benjamin Bradlee; **A Day in the Life of President Kennedy** by Jim Bishop and **Four Days** - a historical record of the death of the President." All of these are interesting to young and old alike.

On the first floor are the more adult books but not more readable, such as **The Death of a President** by William Manchester; **The Day Kennedy was Shot** by Jim Bishop; **J.F.K., the Man and the Myth** by Victor Lasky; **Jacqueline Bouvier Kennedy: The Making of a President; A Thousands Days** and **Report of the Warren Commission.**

I would especially recommend **The Kennedy Women** by Pearl Buck; **Profiles In Courage** and **The Burden and the Glory** by Kennedy himslef.

Also read **The Torch Is Passed,** the title of which is a part of Kennedy's Inaugual Address, January 20, 1961. I quote, "Let the word go forth from this time and place, to friend and foe alike, that the torch has been passed to a new generation of Americans - born in this century, tempered by war, disciplined by a hard and bitter peace, proud of our ancient heritage - - - and so my fellow Americans, ask not what your country can do for you, ask what you can do for your country."

This last quotation was taken from **Four Days** which contains the whole inaugural address.

Freedom Fund Rally Sunday

The annual Freedom Fund Rally will come to a close this Sunday evening at 7:30 at the Galilee Baptist Church. The guest speaker will be Mr. Joseph F. Lewis, a former teacher in Appomattox and now a worker in the State Correctional System. The devotional will be conducted by the pastor of the church with music furnished by the Galilee Senior Choir. All contestants are asked to report their monies to the finance committee between 7 and 7:20. Mrs. Annie Mae Humbles is chairman of the program committee. Each church in the county has been asked to cooperate. The rally is sponsored by the local branch of the NAACP. The general public is cordially invited to be present.

The Mount Shiloh Baptist Church Usher Board will celebrate its anniversary on the first Sunday in November at 3 p.m. Local Usher Boards have been invited to take an active part. The Rev. Roger Ford has been invited to be the guest speaker.

The talent program sponsored by Miss Evelyn Wright of the First Baptist Church last Sunday at 3 p.m. was enjoyed by all. The pastor of the church, Dr. K. W. Davis, conducted the devotions. He was assisted in the service by the Rev. R. Q. Lawing. Music was furnished by the First Baptist Church gospel chorus under the direction of Mrs. H. P. James. Among the talents were the following: A paper, Miss Evelyn Wright; Duette, Mrs. Ora McCoy and son; Reading, Mrs. Sally Reid; Solo, Mr. James Reid; Solo, Master Edward McCoy; A dramazation, "Mary Had a Little Lamb" by Mrs. Lillie Stevens; Offering by Deacons Solomon and Edward McCoy; Deacon Percy Johnson of Mount Airy gave the opening prayer. Mrs. Evelyn Berry rendered a solo. The offering was very good. Words of appreciaton were given by the pastor and the benediction was given by Rev. Lawing.

The Rev. Wyatt Venable and his musical group will render a special service at the Promise Land Baptist Church on the second Sunday evening in November at 3 p.m. The officers, members and friends are invited to attend.

The Rev. Edward McCray and one of his choirs will render service at the Galilee Baptist Church on the third Sunday evening in November at 7:30. Members and friends are asked to attend.

A large crowd attended the regular preaching service at the Mount Shiloh Baptist Church last Sunday morning. The Rev. C. L. Elliott delivered the morning message.

Mrs. Eva C. Morgan, Mrs. Belle Terry and Mr. Thomas Patterson of Roanoke, were guests in the Howard Stevens' home over the week end, also attending the Mount Airy Homecoming services in Appomattox.

Mrs. Della Flood and daughter, Mrs. Gearldine West of New York City, have returned after spending some time as guests of Mrs. Flood's sister, Mrs. Minnie Ferguson, of Pamplin, Va.

The Rev. J. D. Scruggs will be the guest minister at the Galilee Baptist Church this Sunday morning at 11 a.m. All officers, members and friends are cordially invited to attend.

A delegation from the Appomattox Assembly will attend the Area Assembly of Central Virginia today.

Mrs. Landors Palmer received word from Baltimore of the death of her brother. Funeral arrangements are incomplete at this time.

FARMERS REMINDED OF OCT. 28 DEADLINE FOR NOMINATIONS

Only a few days remain to nominate farmers as candidates in the upcoming ASC community committee elections, reminds James R. Ford, Jr., Chairman, Appomattox County ASC Committee.

First duty of the newly elected community committee members will be to serve as delegates to elect new members to the county ASC committee. Mr. Ford reminds producers that this is an important occasion for the responsible, farmer - chosen team of ASC community committeemen.

The ASC community committee election will be conducted by mail from Nov. 21 to Dec. 1. By turning in a total of six or more petitions, farmers in each ASC community have the opportunity to prepare the slate of nominees themselves. Ford hopes that farmers will submit enough valid petitions to fill the slate.

Shortly after Oct. 28, all petitions will be reviewed. If six or more valid petitions have been received for an ASC community, the county ASCS office will prepare a slate containing the names of all eligible nominees. If less than six valid petitions are received for any ASC community, the job of slate completion will be turned over to the incumbent community committee, which will add nominees needed to complete the slate.

The county ASC committee will review all community slates prior to the mail election and will advise all candidates of the duties of ASC committeemen.

In order to submit a valid petition, three or more ASC farm voters must sign a statement endorsing an eligible candidate. The statement must include certification that the nominee will serve if elected. Petitions must be dated and mailed or hand-delivered to the county ASC office not later than Oct. 28.

The opportunity to nominate, vote, and be elected to office in the upcoming ASC committee election is guaranteed to all farmers regardless of race, religion, sex, color, or national origin.

Bible Conference & Missions Conference Combined

continuing each evening at 7:30 P.M. through Sunday the Bible Baptist Church will be engaged in its sixth annual Missions Conference.

Bible Baptist Church is an Independent Congregation; that is, they are not bound to the dictates of any mission board, conference or convention. The Church supports only those Missionaries that the congregation has approved.

The Church has one Missionary family that accepted the call to the field of Israel, as well as contributing to the support of twelve other missionary families.

The Pastor, Earnie W. Lucas, and the entire congregation would like to extend to the community a warm invitation to attend these services.

This coming Monday, October 20-21, The Appalachian Baptist Bible Conference will be held at the Bible Baptist Church in Appomattox, Virginia.

The Bible Conference will begin Monday afternoon at 3:00-5:00 P.M. and the evening services will begin at 7:00 P.M.

On Tuesday morning, the services will begin at 10:00 A.M. till 12:00 P.M. There will be no afternoon services on Tuesday. There will be a tour of the Surrender Grounds for the guest Preachers and their wives.

Guest are expected to be in attendance from several States, including West Virginia, North Carolina, Kentucky and Virginia.

Beginning Wednesday Evening at 7:30 P.M. and fee is required for individuals, $5.00 for couples. Those who have attended the 5-Day Plan in the past may attend free of charge.

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A 5-DAY PLAN TO STOP SMOKING clinic will be conducted at the Farmers National Bank Branch office on October 19 through 23. The group therapy sessions will be held in the board room of the Bank, located off Rt. 460, each evening from 7:30 to 9:00 p.m.

The 5-DAY PLAN is sponsored as a community service by the Appomattox Seventh-Day Adventist Church and is a program that is conducted by other Adventists in many parts of the world. Since its beginning in 1960, more than 10 million people have been aided in the battle to quit smoking.

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Players of the Week

...are Phillip Jamerson, left, and "Boo Boo" Trent, ...ers of the week for the Appomattox vs. Amherst ...game was named "player of the week" for defense ...offense.

PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

...bove are Danny Hix (left) and "Boo Boo" Trent ...the two players were named Players of the Week for ...ainst Vs. Altavista game which the Raiders won ...ssisted 217 yards with 15 carries while Hix led the ...a strong defense.

SPORTS

By Allen Austin

Raiders Stampede Colonels

The Appomattox County High School Raiders kept their winning streak alive with a 18-0 Seminole District win over the Altavista Colonels Friday night at Altavista.

The Raiders got underway on the punt return 62-yard touchdown run by John Rothgeb and Keith Coleman kicked the first of his four extra points putting the Raiders 7-0 early in the first quarter.

Raider defense held, forcing the Colonels to punt and Bobo Trent fielded the ball and scrambled 66 yards for the second score, the point after was good and the Raiders took the lead 14-0.

With the strong defense showed by the Raiders, the Altavista Colonels were unable to score but threatened once in the second half before time ran out.

Trent scored again on a two yard run in the third quarter, Coleman's point after was good. Trent, 17 yards out, scored again in the final quarter leading the Raiders to their fifth consecutive win. Coleman's point after was good and the final score was Raiders over the Colonels 28-0.

Appomattox, 5-0 for the season, remains tied with Rustburg for first place in the district.

The Raiders will host the Minute Men from Liberty High School in a home game on Friday night. Be on hand to boost the Raiders to a sixth victory.

J.V. Raiders Sack Colonels

When the J.V. Raiders hosted the J.V. team from Altavista last Thursday evening, Freddie Mitchell scored from 2 yards out in the first quarter of play to start the team on their way to a 20-8 victory.

In the second period of play, Scott Paulette intercepted an Altavista pass on the Colonels 28 yard line but after a desperate try for another score, the Raiders lost the ball on a fumble and Altavista recovered it on the 5 yard line. The Raider defense held and kept the Colonels from a score during the first half of play. At halftime the Raiders led 6-0.

With 4:48 left in the third period, Mitchell connected with Larry Kelso on a ten yard pass to move the Raiders to 12-0.

Mitchell scored on the two-point conversion and the Raiders led 14-0.

Only seconds later, Andy Kelso, playing outstanding defense, picked off an Altavista pass and rushed in from 15 yards out to put the Raiders ahead 22-0.

The only score in the fourth period came in the final ten seconds when a Colonel player, from 15 yards out, charged in to give them their only touchdown of the game. Altavista was successful on their two-point conversion attempt but trailed the Raiders 20-8 as time ran out.

Our J. V. team will travel to Liberty Thursday, October 16 where they will meet the Minute Men in what we hope will be another win for our team.

RAIDERETTES CLAIM VICTORY

15-0 and 15-6 were the two scores which claimed victory for the Raiderettes Volleyball team over Amherst on Tues., Oct. 7. Connie Murray with 15 straight points in the first game shut-out Amherst from any chance of scoring. The Raiderettes in the second game were unable to score on their first four servers. With Sue Doss up to serve, she scored 13 points to spark up the Raiderettes. Cindy Harris came up to serve the two points to claim victory for Appomattox.

Raiderettes On Top

The Raiderettes came out on top over the Colonelettes in Thursday's Volleyball match.

The first game of the match the Colonelettes took control with a 15-11 win over Appomattox.

Appomattox came back and with strong serving and good offense play Sue Doss scored 9 straight points for the Raiderettes to show a score of 15-0 over the Colonelettes.

The last game of the match ended with a 15-10 victory for the Raiderettes. A lot of hustle and team work proved to be the winning factor for the Raiderettes. Maryjane Smith scored 8 consecutive points.

After the match Teresa Harris had a total of 12 points with Maryjane having 10.

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Rookies	3	6
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Flintstones	7	2
Mighty Mites	6	3
Krazy Kats	5	4
Pinups	4	5
Alley Cats	3	6
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